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AMENDMENT

Amendment to Specification

Please amend the specification as shown below.

On page 2, line 14, delete "via" and insert therefore -- in a local cache on --.

On page 5, line 18, delete "14" and insert therefore -- 50 --.

On page 5, line 29, delete "10" and insert therefore -- 16 --.

On page 8, line 12, insert --problem-- after "similar".

On page 8, line 26, delete "persistent".

On page 8, line 32, delete ",".

On page 8, line 32, insert --,-- after "server".

On page 11, line 24, delete "persistent".

Amendment to Claims

Please add the claims as shown below and cancel claims 9-26 without prejudice.

29. (Newly added) A method comprising:

suspending a pre-fetching request between a client platform and a server platform when a higher priority browser request is made by the client platform.

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30. (Newly added) The method of claim 29, further comprising determining a characteristic of a transmission between the client platform and the server platform.

31. (Newly added) The method of claim 30, wherein determining a characteristic includes determining if the characteristic is a high priority transmission or a low priority transmission.

32. (Newly added) The method of claim 29, wherein suspending a pre-fetching request includes closing a connection between the client platform and the server platform.

33. (Newly added) The method of claim 29, further comprising resuming a low priority transmission between the client platform and the server platform after the higher priority browser request.

34. (Newly added) An article comprising:

a machine readable storage medium having stored thereon instructions capable of being executed by a data processing platform, said instructions being adapted to:

determine a characteristic of a transmission between a client platform and a server platform, the characteristic comprising a high priority transmission and a low priority transmission; and

suspending the connection if the characteristic of the transmission comprises a high priority transmission.

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35. (Newly added) The article of claim 34, wherein the instructions are further adapted to resume at least one low priority transmission with the connection after the high priority transmission is complete.

36. (Newly added) The article of claim 34, wherein the instructions are further adapted to perform a pre-fetching request between the client platform and the server platform.

37. (Newly added) The article of claim 34, wherein the instructions are further adapted to close the connection.

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CLEAN VERSION OF CLAIMS FOR SCANNING PER 37 CFR § 1.121

29. A method comprising:

suspending a pre-fetching request between a client platform and a server platform when a higher priority browser request is made by the client platform.

30. The method of claim 29, further comprising determining a characteristic of a transmission between the client platform and the server platform.

31. The method of claim 30, wherein determining a characteristic includes determining if the characteristic is a high priority transmission or a low priority transmission.

32. The method of claim 29, wherein suspending a pre-fetching request includes closing a connection between the client platform and the server platform.

33. The method of claim 29, further comprising resuming a low priority transmission between the client platform and the server platform after the higher priority browser request.

34. An article comprising:

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a machine readable storage medium having stored thereon instructions capable of being executed by a data processing platform, said instructions being adapted to:

determine a characteristic of a transmission between a client platform and a server platform, the characteristic comprising a high priority transmission and a low priority transmission; and

suspending the connection if the characteristic of the transmission comprises a high priority transmission.

35. The article of claim 34, wherein the instructions are further adapted to resume at least one low priority transmission with the connection after the high priority transmission is complete.

36. The article of claim 34, wherein the instructions are further adapted to perform a pre-fetching request between the client platform and the server platform.

37. The article of claim 34, wherein the instructions are further adapted to close the connection.

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REMARKS

Claims 1-8 and 27-28 remain in the application and claims 29-37 have been added.

Support for Amendments.

As indicated above, claims 29-37 have been added. Support for the amendments is shown by at least the example in FIG. 1 and described on page 13, lines 1-30, of applicant's specification.

Applicant respectfully submits that no new matter has been added.

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Conclusion

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner allow all pending claims.

Should it be determined that an additional fee is due under 37 CFR §§1.16 or 1.17, or any excess fee has been received, please charge that fee or credit the amount of overcharge to deposit account #02-2666.

If the Examiner believes that there are any informalities which can be corrected by an Examiner's amendment, a telephone call to the undersigned at (480) 554-9732 is respectfully solicited.

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